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Applicants: Dong Shin et al.

Attorney Docket: SBC1022US

Serial No.: 09/852,988

Group Art Unit: 3738

Filed: May 10, 2001

Examiner: Javier G. Blanco

For: PROCESS FOR COUPLING AN ANGIOPLASTY STENT
TO A CORRESPONDING INSERTION ELEMENT, AND
KIT THUS FORMED

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD FOR RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants hereby petition for an extension of two months (from July 11, 2003, to September 11, 2003) within which to respond to the Office Action dated April 11, 2003. A check in the amount of \$446.00 is enclosed to cover the claims fee (\$36.00) and the extension of time fee (\$410.00). If additional time is required, please consider this a conditional petition therefore. It is believed that no additional fees are due in connection with this Petition. If this is incorrect, however, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 16-2312.

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A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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